



# INVESTING IN THE COMMUNITY & JOB CREATION

## LEON COUNTY CREATES TRANSFORMATION IN COMMUNITY

### DOMI STATION

Through a public-private partnership with Domi Ventures, Leon County opened the new Domi Station business incubator in May 2014, providing missing entrepreneurial support to the startup business community at no operational cost to tax-payers. The County's provision of the physical incubator facility, combined with Domi's development services, access to funding, and the provision of community collaboration and culture, contributes to a holistic and successful startup ecosystem in our community. Leon County is proud to be the catalyst for entrepreneurs and big ideas.



**"Even with Cambridge's multiple Ivy league schools, venture capital firms, and world leading accelerators, I thought Tallahassee's passion for making a difference was worth more. Here, people want me to succeed."**

William McCluskey,  
founder of Proper Channel and  
Domi Incubator member



### CASCADES PARK

Cascades Park opened in March 2014 to provide residents and tourists alike an opportunity to enjoy a variety of outdoor activities. Whether it be enjoying the interactive water fountain, watching your favorite band in the state-of-the-art amphitheater, or visiting the award winning Smokey Hollow Commemoration, this park has become a social center of our community. The Park also serves as an innovative stormwater facility, providing flood relief to Downtown and nearby neighborhoods.

### PENNY SALES TAX PROJECTS

Since 1989, the penny sales tax has shaped our community by widening roads, relieving traffic congestion and improving our quality of life. After two years of public hearings and meetings involving over a thousand citizens, a list of future penny sales tax projects was approved by the County and City Commissions. If approved by voters in November, the penny sales tax projects will create and promote jobs and continue to improve our community for generations to come.

